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26 January 1950

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief, Contact Division

SUBJECT: Jury Duty

1. I have received a jury summons to appear in D. C. Criminal Court Number 1 on Tuesday, 7 February 1950. Jurors in this court, I am informed, are required to serve for at least a month, or possibly longer if sitting on a case which extends beyond that period.

2. My CIA assignment as [REDACTED] necessitates constant and continuing availability. Even while on leave I can always be reached by phone in an emergency. In addition, experience has shown that any prolonged absence will adversely affect the production of this office.

3. It is therefore respectfully suggested that an official request be made to have my name removed from the list of prospective jurors, in the best interests of the Government.

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